## **VETERAN EXEMPTION QUALIFICATIONS**

CLAUSE	EXEMPT AMOUNT	WHO IS ELIGIBLE
22	\$250	<ul> <li>Veterans with a wartime service connected disability of 10% or more as determined by the Veterans Administration or the branch of service from which separated.</li> <li>Veterans who have been awarded the Purple Heart.</li> <li>Gold Star mothers and fathers.</li> <li>Spouses (where the domicile is owned by the veteran's spouse) and surviving spouses of veterans entitled to an exemption.</li> <li>Surviving spouses of World War I veterans whose whole worth, less any mortgage on the property, does not exceed \$20,000.</li> </ul>
22A	\$425	<ul> <li>Suffered in the line of duty the loss or permanent loss of use of one foot or one hand or one eye.</li> <li>Received the Congressional Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, or Air Force Cross.</li> </ul>
22B	\$775	Veterans (and their surviving spouses) who suffered in the line of duty the loss or permanent loss of use of both feet or both hands, one foot and one hand, or the sight of both eyes.
22C	\$950	Suffered total disability in the line of duty <u>AND</u> received assistance in acquiring "specially adapted housing" which they own and occupy as their domicile.
22D	\$250	Surviving spouses of soldiers and sailors who died in combat at the islands of Quemoy and Matsu ONLY.
22E	\$600	Veterans (and surviving spouses) who suffered total disability in the line of duty and are incapable of working. A certificate from the Veterans Administration showing 100% disability must be filed annually.
Paraplegic	FULL	Veterans (and surviving spouses) who are certified by the Veterans Administration as paraplegic.

<sup>\*</sup>Exemption amounts are doubled in the Town of Westford per vote at Annual Town Meeting